

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the Los Angeles, CA, Metropolitan Area, circa 2001*

Foundation Name	State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. The California Endowment	CA	IN	\$37,214,227	172
2. The Ahmanson Foundation	CA	IN	29,861,980	307
3. The James Irvine Foundation	CA	IN	22,447,000	51
4. Weingart Foundation	CA	IN	21,650,490	178
5. Skirball Foundation	NY	IN	19,987,190	11
6. The Ralph M. Parsons Foundation	CA	IN	16,635,258	176
7. The Annenberg Foundation	PA	IN	15,449,356	31
8. The California Wellness Foundation	CA	IN	12,380,500	74
9. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	11,673,665	24
10. The Pew Charitable Trusts	PA	IN	11,578,000	7
11. Dan Murphy Foundation	CA	IN	10,652,500	44
12. The Sherman Fairchild Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	10,000,000	1
13. W. M. Keck Foundation	CA	IN	9,575,000	21
14. Thomas and Dorothy Leavey Foundation	CA	IN	9,239,586	39
15. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	8,946,500	27
16. Conrad N. Hilton Foundation	NV	IN	8,655,550	37
17. Henry L. Guenther Foundation	CA	IN	8,305,000	44
18. The Kenneth T. and Eileen L. Norris Foundation	CA	IN	7,858,153	137
19. Chartwell Charitable Foundation	CA	IN	7,633,500	82
20. Carrie Estelle Doheny Foundation	CA	IN	7,598,785	178
21. The Walt and Lilly Disney Foundation	CA	IN	7,250,000	2
22. Wasserman Foundation	CA	IN	7,140,920	24
23. Fritz B. Burns Foundation	CA	IN	7,012,500	72
24. The David Geffen Foundation	CA	IN	6,854,325	20
25. The Lincy Foundation	CA	IN	6,386,693	60
26. Stuart Foundation	CA	IN	6,123,333	10
27. The Packard Humanities Institute	CA	OP	5,642,788	9
28. Sierra Foundation, Inc.	NJ	IN	5,635,952	2
29. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	IN	5,445,500	21
30. Bank of America Foundation, Inc.	NC	CS	5,248,000	93
31. UniHealth Foundation	CA	IN	5,111,103	47
32. The Eisner Foundation, Inc.	CA	IN	4,996,068	64
33. California Community Foundation	CA	CM	4,800,128	67
34. S. Mark Taper Foundation	CA	IN	4,756,000	42
35. Arnold and Mabel Beckman Foundation	CA	IN	4,578,012	3
36. The Milken Family Foundation	CA	IN	4,547,573	38
37. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	IN	4,412,082	10
38. J. Paul Getty Trust	CA	OP	4,395,410	65
39. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	4,205,375	24
40. The Fletcher Jones Foundation	CA	IN	4,137,000	25
41. The Capital Group Companies Charitable Foundation	CA	IN	4,070,673	106
42. The Times Mirror Foundation	CA	CS	3,709,555	38
43. Washington Mutual Foundation	WA	CS	3,617,500	43
44. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	IN	3,600,000	4
45. B. C. McCabe Foundation	CA	IN	3,570,463	44
46. Colburn Foundation	CA	IN	3,310,000	13
47. The Atlantic Foundation of New York	NY	IN	3,058,000	2
48. Forest Lawn Foundation	CA	IN	2,966,675	90
49. Archstone Foundation	CA	IN	2,842,923	33
50. Lund Foundation	CA	IN	2,830,000	24
Total			\$429,596,791	2,736

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on a national sample of 1,007 U.S. larger private and community foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving), grants of \$10,000 or more. For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file. The search set includes only the largest U.S. foundations awarding grants in the metropolitan area. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented. Metropolitan areas are designated by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB).

¹IN = Independent Foundation; CM = Community Foundation; CS = Corporate Foundation; OP = Operating Foundation.